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LIST OF TOWN OFFICERS

O. H. Hubbard,	Town Clerk
O. H. Hubbard,	Town Treasurer
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	SELECTMEN
P. M. Wright	W. H. Adams
Jehiel B. Guillow	
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	ROAD AGENTS
A. F. Adams	Frank E. Smith
Ben E. Guillow	
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	TAX COLLECTOR
Frank E. Smith	
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TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS	
John Smith	James Davis
Lansing Wilder	
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	AUDITORS
Fred A. Wilder	John A. Smith
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OVERSEER OF POOR	
Frank E. Smith	
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	POLICE
Rex W. Greene	

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Gilsum, in the County of Cheshire, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at town hall, in said Gilsum, on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

ART. 1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.

ART. 3. To see if the town will appoint a committee to look after the observance of Memorial Day and appropriate money for same.

ART. 4. To see if the town will vote to instruct the collector to collect all taxes and pay into town treasury on or before Jan. 31, 1925.

ART. 5. To see if the town will take any action in regard to town officers' salaries.

ART. 6. To see what action the town will take in regard to a road grader and appropriate money for same.

ART. 7. To see if the town will take any action in regard to observing of Old Home Week and appropriate money for same.

ART. 8. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to borrow money.

ART. 9. To see if the town will take any action in regard to state aid construction and trunk line maintenance road and appropriate money for same.

ART. 10. To see what action the town will take in regard to street lights and appropriate money for same.

ART. 11. To see if the town will vote to accept the reports of town officers.

ART. 12. To see if the town will take any action in regard to footlights for town hall stage.

ART. 13. To see if the town will vote to do any work on Alstead road in conjunction with the Golding-Keene Co.

ART. 14. To see if the town will vote to build a cupboard in selectmen's office and appropriate money for same.

To bring in your votes for the election of delegates-at-large, alternate delegates-at-large, district delegates, alternate district delegates to the national conventions of the Democratic and Republican parties to be held for the purpose of nominating party candidates for president and vice president of the United States.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-third day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-four.

P. M. WRIGHT,
W. H. ADAMS,

Selectmen of Gilsum

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

P. M. WRIGHT,
W. H. ADAMS,

Selectmen of Gilsum

SUMMARY INVENTORY

Polls, 229.	
Land and buildings,	\$234,225 00
98 horses,	9,416 00
1 Mule,	50 00
6 oxen,	566 00
131 cows,	5,932 00
20 neat stock,	744 00
70 fowls,	90 00
5 vehicles,	250 00
8 portable mills,	1,625 00
Wood and lumber,	10,685 00
Money on hand at interest,	1,385 00
Stock in trade,	25,650 00
Value of stocks in national banks,	30 00
Mills and machinery,	19,500 00
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	\$310,148 00
Soldiers exemption,	4,000 00
Amount of taxes committed to collector,	10,920 87
Tax rate per \$100,	3 20

APPROPRIATIONS

Town officers,	\$500 00
Town officers' expenses,	125 00
Police department,	25 00
Fire department,	50 00
Health department,	5 00
Vital statistics,	6 00
Trunk line maintenance,	2,000 00

Town maintenance,	\$2,000 00
State aid,	496 50
Street lights,	100 00
Library,	125 00
Memorial Day,	25 00
Cemetery,	25 00
Interest on temporary loans,	200 00
Payment of long term notes,	900 00
County taxes,	565 83
State tax,	632 50
New railing for stone bridge,	200 00
School house furnaces,	337 00
School appropriation,	3,133 29
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	\$11,451 12

LIABILITIES

Note of Mary A. Hammond Est.,

	payable Jan. 31, 1925, \$500 00
" Effie J. Wilder, " " 1925, 350 38	
" Caroline O. Nash, " " 1926, 101 40	
" Emma I. Downing, " " 1926, 200 00	
" Emma I. Downing, " " 1927, 112 84	
" Ruth Bingham Est., " " 1927, 200 00	
" John H. Laing Est., " " 1927, 300 00	
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	\$1,764 62

Notes of trustees of trust funds, 6% :

D. W. Bill cemetery fund, payable Jan. 31, 1928,	\$400 00
K. D. Webster cemetery fund, payable Jan. 31, 1928,	22 40
School fund, payable Jan. 31, 1928,	300 00
L. W. Wilder, town fund,	500 00
Estimated due town officers,	500 00
State and town trunk line maintenance, unexpended balance,	114 19
Due to school districts, dog licenses,	80 30
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	\$3,681 51

BILLS ALLOWED BY VOTE OF TOWN

C. C. Plimpton,	\$94 60
P. M. Wright,	93 10
W. H. Adams,	120 50
O. H. Hubbard,	81 70
W. H. Adams,	5 00
Henry Plimpton,	4 44
A. J. Baker,	8 50
George H. Howard,	13 31
Walter T. Nims,	99 00
P. J. LaBounty,	61 85
John G. Guillow,	15 00
Ben E. Guillow,	5 00
A. B. Palmer,	3 38
Hunter C. Kingsbury,	18 00
E. A. Blodgett,	17 71
Fred A. Wilder,	7 50
John L. White,	3 00
John A. Smith,	9 00
Ben E. Guillow,	18 00
Hunter C. Kingsbury,	6 00
Leon A. Wright,	18 00
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	\$702 59

NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE TAX COMMISSION
FINANCIAL REPORT
 OF THE
TOWN OF GILSUM, CHESHIRE CO.

For the Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1924

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Feb. 19, 1924.

P. M. WRIGHT,
 W. H. ADAMS,
 Selectmen

B. F. BALLOU, Treasurer

ASSETS

CASH:

In hands of treasurer,	\$5,575 52
In hands of library treasurer,	9 99
In hands of street light committee,	59 26

SINKING FUNDS:

Deed of Gilbert Guillow farm,	1,000 00
Water right bought for taxes,	17 40

ACCOUNTS DUE TO THE TOWN:

Joint highway accounts, unexpended balances in state treasury,	44 15
Unexpended balance in town treasury,	70 04
Forest fire,	127 52

Taxes not collected:	Levy of 1922,	\$9 64
	Levy of 1923,	521 13
	Total assets,	\$7,434 65

LIABILITIES

ACCOUNTS OWED BY THE TOWN:

Due town officers, estimated,	\$500 00
Due to school districts, dog licenses,	80 30
State and town joint highway accounts: unexpended	
balance in state treasury,	44 15
Unexpended balance in town treasury,	70 04

OUTSTANDING TEMPORARY LOANS:

Town hall and state road,	1,764 62
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TRUST FUNDS, AMOUNT OF PRINCIPAL USED BY TOWN:

School fund,	300 00
D. W. Bill cemetery fund,	400 00
K. D. Webster fund,	22 40
L. A. Wilder school fund,	500 00
	1,222 40

Total liabilities,	\$3,681 51
Excess of assets over liabilities,	3,753 14
Grand total,	\$7,434 65

RECEIPTS

CURRENT REVENUE:

From Local Taxes:

Property taxes committed to collector,	
1923,	\$9,913 87
Less discounts and abatements, 1923,	33 22
Less uncollected, 1923,	345 31
Property taxes, current year, actually collected,	9,582 37
Poll taxes, current year, actually col- lected, at \$3.00,	39 00

Poll taxes, current year, actually collected, at \$5.00,	\$885 00
Property and poll taxes, previous years, actually collected,	827 20
National bank stock taxes,	28 71
Total of above collections,	————— \$11,362 28
Tax sales redeemed,	30 56

From State:

For state aid construction,	\$260 57
For trunk line maintenance,	10,112 25
Insurance tax,	3 00
Railroad tax,	29
Savings bank tax,	265 08
Fighting forest fires,	24 35
Bounties,	134 00
	————— \$10,799 54

From County:

For support of poor,	\$61 22
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From Local Sources Except Taxes:

Dog licenses,	80 30
Rent of town hall,	43 00
Interest received on taxes,	14 47
Income from trust funds,	85 78
Permits for registration motor vehicles,	1,253 47
	————— 1,508 24

RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year,	5,000 00
Sale of cemetery lots,	9 00
Sale of bridge plank,	68 85
Total receipts other than current revenue,	————— 5,077 85

Total receipts from all sources,	\$28,778 47
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1923,	5,575 52
Grand total,	\$34,353 99

PAYMENTS

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:

Town officers' salaries,	\$843 66
Town officers' expenses,	187 48
Election and registration expenses,	10 00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings,	260 26
Police department, including care of tramps,	30 25
Fire department, including forest fires,	401 83
Bounties,	154 00
Health department, including hospitals,	9 25
Vital statistics,	5 85
Trunk line maintenance,	13,025 25
Town maintenance,	2,484 24
Street lighting and sprinkling,	40 74
Libraries,	125 00
Town poor,	54 50
Aid to G. A. R. Memorial Day exercises,	25 00
Cemeteries, including hearse hire,	45 00
Taxes bought by town,	30 56
Taxes refunded,	42 86

INTEREST:

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,	182 51
Paid on principal of trust funds used by town,	73 34

NEW CONSTRUCTION:

State aid construction,	221 00
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INDEBTEDNESS:

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,	5,900 00
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PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS:

Taxes paid to state,	960 50
Taxes paid to county,	565 83
Payments to school districts, including new furnaces,	3,470 29

Total payments for all purposes,	\$29,149 20
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1924,	5,204 79
Grand total,	\$34,353 99

TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

Cash in treasury Feb. 1, 1923,	\$5,575 52
E. W. Quimby, taxes 1922,	815 80
E. W. Quimby, taxes 1921,	11 40
W. H. Adams, taxes redeemed,	30 56
Frank E. Smith, taxes 1923,	10,549 55
Received from state, forest fires,	24 35
State treasurer, highway department,	10,372 82
" " bounty on hedgehogs,	14 00
" " bounty on wildcats,	120 00
" " insurance tax,	3 00
" " savings bank tax,	265 08
" " railroad tax,	29
Automobile permits,	1,253 47
Dog licenses,	80 30
Geo. L. Nevers, town hall rent,	43 00
W. H. Adams, cemetery lots,	9 00
Received from county,	61 22
Selectmen, sale of bridge plank,	68 85
Trustees trust funds, interest on cemetery funds,	85 78
Cheshire National Bank, on notes,	5,000 00

	\$34,383 99

EXPENDITURES

Paid selectmen's orders,	29,149 20

	\$5,234 79
Balance electric light fund Feb. 1, 1923,	\$132 05
Paid out for repairs,	15 25

Balance,	\$116 80

B. F. BALLOU,

Treasurer

REPORT OF HIGHWAYS

ALBERT F. ADAMS

Week ending March 25:

A. F. Adams, 8 hours, \$3 60

Week ending April 8:

A. F. Adams, 10 " 4 50

Week ending April 14:

Frank Bain, team, 4 " 3 12

P. M. Wright, 3 " 1 35

W. H. Adams, team, 4 " 2 40

Bridge plank, 150 feet, 5 70

Week ending April 28:

A. F. Adams, 9 " 4 05

Grover Clark, 2 teams, 3 " 5 34

Week ending May 5:

A. F. Adams, 54 " 24 00

C. C. Banks, 54 " 24 00

Grover Clark, 2 teams, 49½ " 88 00

Bridge plank, 88 feet, 3 34

W. H. Adams, 1 " 45

H. C. Kingsbury, 9 " 7 00

Week ending May 18:

A. F. Adams, 18 " 8 00

E. C. Banks, 27 " 12 00

W. B. Hanson, truck, 9 " 20 00

A. F. Adams and horse, 18 " 11 00

E. C. Banks, 9 " 5 50

A. F. Adams and horse, 5 50

Week ending June 16:

A. F. Adams and horse,	2	hours,	\$1 20
A. F. Adams,	13½	"	6 00
C. E. Banks,	9	"	4 00
Logs,			3 50
Grover Clark, team,	4½	"	3 50
A. F. Adams and horse,			1 00
A. F. Adams,	2	"	80
W. H. Adams,	2	"	80

Week ending July 28:

A. F. Adams,	4½	"	2 00
R. C. Adams,	6½	"	1 95
A. F. Adams,	2	"	90
Knowlton & Stone, drain pipe,			4 04
A. F. Adams and horse,	4½	"	2 70
Bridge plank,			6 14

Week ending Aug. 23:

A. F. Adams and horse,			6 00
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Week ending Sept. 1:

A. F. Adams,	38½	"	17 12
W. B. Hanson, truck,	27	"	60 00
E. C. Banks, man,	27	"	12 00
C. White, man,	27	"	12 00
R. C. Adams,	52½	"	6 75

Week ending Sept. 8:

A. F. Adams,	37	"	16 45
E. C. Banks,	40½	"	18 00

Week ending Sept. 15:

A. F. Adams,	31½	"	14 00
E. C. Banks,	27	"	12 00

Week ending Sept. 22:

A. F. Adams,	27	"	12 00
E. C. Banks,	27	"	12 00
Knowlton & Stone, tiling,			2 75
H. C. Shepardson, 30 loads gravel,			1 00

Week ending Oct. 20:

Knowlton & Stone, tiling.			\$2 94
A. F. Adams,	3 1/2 hours,		14 00
E. C. Banks,	3 1/2 "		14 00
E. A. Blodgett, team,	8 "		6 24
A. F. Adams,	4 1/2 "		2 00

Week ending Nov. 3:

A. F. Adams,	18	"	8 00
E. C. Banks,	18	"	8 00
E. A. Blodgett and team,			5 07
Knowlton & Stone, tiling,			3 00
Mrs. Blodgett, gravel,			80
Freight on tiling,			50

Week ending Nov. 17:

A. F. Adams,	45	"	22 00
E. C. Banks,	45	"	22 00
H. C. Kingsbury, team,	9	"	3 00
George Howard,	4 1/2	"	2 00
Arthur Bunker,	18	"	10 00

Week ending Nov. 24:

A. F. Adams,	36	"	20 00
E. C. Banks,	36	"	20 00
A. Bunker,	18	"	10 00
H. E. Shepardson, 30 loads of gravel,			7 50
J. White,	18	"	10 00

Week ending Nov. 30:

A. F. Adams,	2	"	1 35
W. H. Adams and team,	2	"	1 30
Plank, 140 feet,			5 32

Week ending Dec. 15:

A. F. Adams,	18	"	8 00
E. C. Banks,	9	"	4 00
8 lbs. of spikes,			50
Plow point,			1 25
Plank,			9 70
Knowlton & Stone, tiling,			12 79

BEN E. GUILLOW

Week ending May 5:

Ben E. Guillow,	3 days,	\$12 00
E. C. Banks,	2 "	8 00
John Guillow,	1½ "	6 22
Ben E. Guillow, team,	3½ "	18 95

Week ending May 19:

Ben E. Guillow, team,	5 "	27 50
Fred Beauregard,	2½ "	9 78
E. C. Banks,	1 "	4 00
C. H. Blake, 30 loads gravel at 10c,		3 00
John Bliss, 7 loads of gravel at 10c,		70

Week ending May 26:

Ben E. Guillow, man,	2½ "	10 22
W. H. Adams, man,	3 hours,	1 33
Peter J. LaBounty, team,	2 days,	16 00
E. A. Blodgett, team,	2 "	16 00
Austin Smith, man,	2 "	8 00
Elmer C. Banks,	2 "	8 00
Ben E. Guillow, 42 feet of railing at 2½c,		1 05

Week ending June 2:

Ben E. Guillow, man,	1 day,	4 00
Austin Smith, man,	1 "	4 00
E. C. Banks, man,	2 days, 6 hours,	10 67
Peter J. LaBounty, team,	1 "	8 00
E. A. Blodgett,	1 "	8 00
Ben E. Guillow, team,	2 "	11 00

Week ending June 30:

Ben E. Guillow, man,	1 "	4 00
E. C. Banks, man,	1 "	4 00
Ben E. Guillow, team,	7 "	38 00

Week ending July 20:

Bert White,	1½ hours,	67
Ben E. Guillow,	3 "	1 83
4 lbs. of spikes,		24

Week ending Aug. 12:

Ben E. Guillow, team, 2 hours, \$1 20

Week ending Aug. 25:

Ben E. Guillow,	3	"	1 38
C. E. Banks,	9	"	4 00
Ben E. Guillow, team,	9	"	5 50
C. E. Banks,	9	"	4 00
Ben E. Guillow, team,	9	"	5 50
E. C. Banks,	9	"	4 00
Ben E. Guillow, team,	9	"	5 50
E. C. Banks, man,	5	"	2 22
Ben E. Guillow, team,	5	"	3 05

Week ending Sept. 1:

Ben E. Guillow, team,	2	days, 3 hours,	12 33
E. C. Banks,	2	"	8 00

Week ending Sept. 8:

Ben E. Guillow, man,	4	" 5 hours,	18 22
Austin Smith,	2	"	8 00

Week ending Oct. 6:

Ben E. Guillow, team,	5	"	27 50
E. C. Banks,	2	" 7½ hrs.,	11 33

Week ending Oct. 27:

Ben E. Guillow, team,	2	"	11 00
E. C. Banks, man,	1	"	4 00
Howard Henry, team,	4½	hours,	3 00
John Guillow, man,	11	"	4 89

Week ending Dec. 8:

W. H. Adams, man,	3	"	1 33
Ben E. Guillow,	12	"	5 33
Ben E. Guillow,	7	"	4 28

Week ending Jan. 26, 1924:

Bert White,	3½	"	1 55
Ben E. Guillow,	3½	"	1 55
Roscoe W. Sawyer, 7 yards of gravel,			70

C. H. Blake, 17 loads gravel,		\$1 70
Austin Smith, 15 loads gravel,		1 50
Joe Tinker, 28 feet of railing,		1 00

FRANK E. SMITH

Week ending April 30:

Frank E. Smith,		3 20
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Week ending March 24:

George Rockwell,	4 hours,	1 33
W. H. Rockwell,	4 "	1 33
Frank E. Smith, team,	4 "	2 66

Week ending May 26:

E. A. Blodgett,	18 "	16 00
Peter J. LaBounty,	18 "	16 00
Austin Smith, man,	18 "	8 00
Frank E. Smith, team,	18 "	10 00

Week ending May 26:

E. A. Blodgett, with team,	27 "	24 00
P. J. LaBounty, with team,	27 "	24 00
Austin Smith, man,	22½ "	10 00
Frank E. Smith, with team,	27 "	15 00

Week ending Sept. 22:

P. M. Wright,	3½ "	1 55
Frank E. Smith, team,	6 "	4 66
8 lbs. spikes,		48

Week ending Nov. 10:

Robert Smith,	18 "	10 00
E. Kingsbury,	18 "	10 00
Frank E. Smith,	18 "	10 00
Woodbury Corey,	18 "	10 00
Bert White,	18 "	10 00
Thomas McNelly,	18 "	10 00
James Moran,	18 "	10 00
Joe Tinker, truck,	18 "	45 00

Robert Harris, truck,	18	hours,	\$45 00
Frank E. Smith, bridge stringers,			4 00
Carl Alexander,	18	"	5 00
Week ending Nov. 17:			
F. Tinker, team,	18	"	16 00
Johnson, man,	18	"	8 00
Frank E. Smith and team,	27	"	16 98
Bridge plank, 269 feet.			
Week ending Dec. 8:			
Frank E. Smith and team,	8	"	5 00
W. E. Willson, cutting brush,	18	"	9 00
H. E. Shepardson, 27 loads of gravel at 25c,			6 75
Dynamite and powder,			1 00

MISCELLANEOUS ROAD BILLS

E. F. Barrett, 6,684 feet of bridge plank,	\$253 99
Pearson Bros. Co., railing for stone bridge,	175 52
Chas. Plimpton, labor, railing stone bridge,	80 42
Freight on railing,	5 00
C. B. Martin, repair of Howard bridge,	50 00
Henry Howard, gravel,	11 32
Concord Foundry and Machinery Co., catch basins,	15 00
Lebanon Machine Co., guideboard and sign,	51 00
P. M. Wright, work on water tank and road sign,	12 70

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF GILSUM

*Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year,
Feb. 1, 1924, to Jan. 31, 1925, compared with
Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year, Feb. 1, 1923,
to Jan. 31, 1924*

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Actual Revenue Previous Year, 1923	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year, 1924	Increase	Decrease
FROM STATE :				
Insurance Tax,	\$3.00	3.00		
Railroad Tax, .....	.29	.29		
Savings Bank Tax,	265.08	265.08		
For Fighting Forest Fires,	24.35	127.52	103.17	
For State Aid Maintenance, ..	10,112.25	10,000.00		112.25
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES :				
Rent of Town Hall and Other				
Buildings,	43.00	60.00	23.00	
Interest Received on Taxes and				
Deposits,	14.47			
Income from Trust Funds,	85.78	85.78		
Dog Licenses,	80.30	80.30		
For State Aid Highway Construction,	260.57	279.00	19.57	
Permits for Registration Motor Vehicles,	1,253.47	1,253.47		
Total Revenues from All Sources except Property Taxes, : \$12,142.56				
		\$15,154.44	\$145.74	\$112.25

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF GILSUM—*Continued*
 PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

	Actual Expenditures Previous Year, 1923	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year, 1924	Increase	Decrease
Town Officers' Salaries,	\$843.66	\$500.00		\$343.66
Town Officers' Expenses,	187.48	187.48		
Election and Registration Expenses,	10.00	10.00		
Care and Supplies Town Hall,	260.26	50.00		110.26
Police Department,	30.25	30.25		
Fire Department, including Forest Fires,	401.83	200.00		201.83
Health Department,	9.25	9.25		
Vital Statistics,	5.85	5.85		
Trunk Line Maintenance :				
State's Contribution,	10,112.25	9,000.00		1,112.25
Town's Contribution,	2,913.00	2,000.00		913.00
Town Maintenance,	2,431.15	2,000.00		431.15
Street Lighting,	40.74	50.00	9.26	
Library	125.00	125.00		
Town Poor,	34.50			
Memorial Day,	25.00	25.00		
Cemeteries,	45.00	35.00		10.00
Interest on Temporary Loans,	182.51	100.00		92.51
Interest on Principal of Trust Funds Used by Town,	73.34	73.34		
State Aid Construction :				
State's Contribution,	260.57	279.00	19.43	
Town's Contribution	434.79	465.00	31.23	
Payment Long Term Notes,	5,900.00	900.00		5,000.00
State Taxes,	960.50	960.50		
County Taxes,	565.83	565.83		
Payments to School Districts,	3,470.29	3,000.00		470.29
Total Expenditures,	\$29,342.98	\$20,571.50	\$59.76	\$8,674.95

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

	VALUE
Town hall, lands and buildings,	\$3,000 00
Furniture and equipment,	1,600 00
Library, furniture and equipment,	800 00
Police department, equipment,	10 00
Fire department, lands and buildings,	150 00
Fire department, equipment,	525 00
Highway department, lands and buildings,	150 00
Highway department, materials and supplies,	200 00
Water supply,	200 00
Schools, lands and buildings,	2,500 00
Schools, equipment,	200 00
 Total,	 \$9,335 00

NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE TAX COMMISSION

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS
OF THE
TOWN OF GILSUM, CHESHIRE CO.

For the Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1924

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Jan. 31, 1924.

JAMES DAVIS,
JOHN A. SMITH,
W. E. RENSHAW,
Trustees

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF GILSUM, N. H.
ON JANUARY 31, 1924

DATE OF CREATION	TRUST FUNDS PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	AMOUNT OF PRINCIPAL	RATE OF INTEREST	INCOME DURING YEAR	EXPENDED DURING YEAR
1798	Minister Fund For Schools	Town note	\$300.00	6 per ct.	\$18.00	\$18.00
1900	Daniel W. Bill, donor For care of Cemeteries	Town note	400.00	6 per ct.	24.00	24.00
1906	Dr. Kimball D. Webster, donor For care of Cemeteries	Town note	22.40	6 per ct.	1.34	1.34
1914	Charles W. Rawson, donor For care of Cemeteries	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	4 per ct.	4.04	4.04
1916	Otis H. Kingsbury, donor For care of Cemeteries	Walpole Savings Bank Walpole Savings Bank Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00 200.00 75.00	4 per ct. 4 per ct. 4 per ct.	12.12 7.06 7.06	12.12
1918	Myron W. Adams, donor For Cemeteries	Town note	500.00	6 per ct.	30.00	30.00
1921	Lansing W. Wilder, donor For Schools					
						Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year, \$96.56

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR

Paid City of Keene, for aid to Lesdore Secore and family,	\$49 00
Received from town to balance,	49 00

FRANK E. SMITH,
Overseer of Poor

REPORT OF CEMETERIES

Centennal Cemetery and Village Cemetery:

Received from town treasury,	\$30 00
Expenditures, cutting grass and care,	\$30 00
Paid over to town treasurer, lots sold,	9 00

East Cemetery:

Received from town treasury,	5 00
Expenditures, cutting grass and care,	5 00

South Cemetery:

Received from town treasury,	10 00
Expenditures, cutting grass and care for years 1922 and 1933,	10 00

Total, \$45 00

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. ADAMS,
Supt. Centennial and Village Cemeteries
JOHN GUILLOW, Supt. East Cemetery
ANDY J. BAKER, Supt. South Cemetery

REPORT OF FOREST FIRE WARDEN

July 14, 1923, fire at Fletcher lot, south part of town :
 Total expenses paid by town, \$269 05
 Due from state, 127 52

P. M. WRIGHT, Forest Fire Warden

REPORT OF TOWN HALL COMMITTEE

RECEIPTS

From Grange, shows and dances, \$96 00

EXPENDITURES

Oil and supplies,	\$15 45
Janitor,	37 55
Paid into town treasury,	43 90
	—
For insurance and wood,	96 00
	70 01

REPORT OF STREET LIGHT COMMITTEE

Feb. 1, 1924.

Amount appropriated by town,	\$100 00
Paid out for gasoline, new lamps and supplies,	\$30 74
Lighting and care of lamps,	10 00
Balance in town treasury,	59 26

On hand: 1 steel drum,	\$100 00
10 gallons of gasoline,	12 00
	3 50

	\$15 50

P. M. WRIGHT,
Street Light Committee

Report of Chemical Fire Engine Co.

Received from town,	\$132 78
Pay roll of company,	\$46 00
Supplies for chemical extinguishers,	86 78

	\$132 78

JOHN PLATZNER,
ARCHIE BECKWITH,
Firewards

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

There has been no meeting of the trustees this year, owing to the fact that the president of the trustees is in Keene most of the time. The town has purchased a few books, subscribes for four different magazines, including the National Geographic, which is a most instructive one. Mrs. W. W. Woods has donated many other magazines.

HELEN W. SMITH,
Librarian

TRUSTEES

HELEN J. HAYWARD,	- - - -	Term expires	1924
GEORGE R. CUTHBERT,	- - - -	" "	1924
LEWIS SNOW,	- - - -	" "	1924
DR. O. H. HUBBARD,	- - - -	" "	1925
BERTHA M. WRIGHT,	- - - -	" "	1925
ROSALIE P. DAVIS,	- - - -	" "	1925

Report of Treasurer of Library

Balance on hand Feb, 1, 1923,	\$12 83
Appropriation,	125 00
Fines,	6 59
	<hr/>
	\$144 42

EXPENDITURES

Librarian's salary,	\$100 00
Book shelves,	1 00
Books and magazines,	33 43
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1924,	9 99
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	\$144 42

HELEN J. HAYWARD,
Treasurer

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the selectmen, town treasurer, tax collector, road agents, street light committee, overseer of the poor, department of cemeteries, librarian, town hall committee and trustees of trust funds, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

J. A. SMITH,
JAMES DAVIS,
Auditors

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Citizens and School Board of Gilsum:

It is with pleasure that I herein submit my first annual report as superintendent of schools.

During the short period of six months' observation and direction of your schools, we have aimed to follow the state course of study as far as conditions and a limited supply of equipment will permit.

As far as possible, we have eliminated educational fallacies and put emphasis on the old-fashioned word, "work," directing our efforts to the fundamentals, viz.: reading, writing and arithmetic, the use of good English, both oral and written, in composition and conversation.

The teachers have been devoted to their work and conscientious in its execution.

There is no escape from the fact that public schools are expensive and that their cost is increasing.

The increase in cost is due, not only to the higher salaries needed to secure good teachers, higher cost of repairs, the doubling of charges for heat, extension of required transportation routes, continued high prices of books and supplies, but also to the fact that the requirements which schools have to meet have broadened greatly throughout the entire country and physical conditions considered satisfactory forty years ago are no longer tolerated.

Our great problem is to maintain our schools in creditable condition and at the same time keep within the limits of our appropriations.

We must realize that public school education is the bulwark of our free institutions, that in the rising generation of boys and girls lie the latent powers of our republic, that the way the twig is bent the tree is sure to grow.

Therefore, realizing that the boys and girls of today are to be the men and women of tomorrow, it behooves us to act with feverish solicitude in the interests of the welfare of our children. It is an essential duty imposed upon us to vitalize their education with a thorough preparation in the fundamentals of mental, moral, and religious life.

The boys and girls of Gilsum are worthy of all the town can give them in the way of educational opportunities. Every citizen, whether he has children or not, should be interested in the education of the boys and girls, for in twenty years the affairs of the town will be in their hands. Too many pupils make the mistake of leaving school as soon as the law permits. We should encourage by every means possible such pupils to continue longer in school. Whether they are to become workers in the mill, store, or on the farm, they will be better workers if they go far enough to be able to study and understand a little of mill mechanics or to take a reading course for information along the line of their chosen vocation of life. The increase in thinking power through a few additional years of school will make them more capable workers and more intelligent citizens.

SCHOOL WORK

Houghton's system of writing is used and our aim is to secure neatness, legibility and a fair amount of speed.

In spelling, your teachers are trying nearly all avenues of approach in order to get the word taught into the system of the child, viz., the ear, eye, muscles of throat, arm and hand.

In reading, the first three years are devoted largely to the mechanics of reading and a taste and desire for good reading.

After the third grade, attention is turned more particularly to four points, viz.: (1) the getting the thought from the printed page; (2) silent reading under the guidance of the teacher—the getting of thought for ourselves; (3) oral reading—the giving of the thought to another which implies clear articulation and enunciation and a proper expression of thought; (4) the development of love for good literature. In fact, teachers who have insisted that the pupils give back the thought in their own words, even from the first grade, have developed the better readers under (1) and (2), but oral reading or (3) seems to be our weakest situation. I would urge teachers to put stress on this condition even to the degree that it might border on elocution.

In number work, or arithmetic, your teachers are following well-known pedagogical laws, proceeding from the concrete to the abstract, from the known to the unknown, from the particular to the general, from the problem to the rule.

As far as possible, we keep the work practical and confined to principles that enter into the needs of the ordinary citizen. It has been proved by examinations all over our state that our pupils are stronger in operations and perhaps accuracy in the performance of those operations than in problems that demand close reasoning and mental arithmetic.

I would recommend to the teachers that they make a more frequent use of the inquisitive "why" and give a few daily mental gymnastics in the old-fashioned mental arithmetic.

In geography, history, physiology and other subjects of similar nature, teachers who are using the topical and project methods under guidance of the five steps in teach-

ing given in chapter seventeen of the State Program of Studies, have obtained the better results.

In English, much time is given to the development of proper speaking and writing. Also emphasis is placed on technical grammar.

Technical grammar is coming to its old time importance, I believe, and will be gladly welcomed, especially by the English teachers in our high schools of the state.

We have strengthened the English in our grammar grades by the introduction of Sandwick's Junior High School English. Also more time has been devoted to history.

In addition to the subjects mentioned, good work has been done in drawing and nature study.

TEACHERS FOR THE PRESENT YEAR

At the beginning of the present year, a new corps of teachers took up the work of your schools, viz.: Mrs. Etta B. Rowell, a teacher of extended experience, the grammar grades; Miss Mildred Pitcher, of Marlboro, the primary grades; and Miss Alice E. Richards, of Harrisville, the West school.

All have co-operated heartily with the superintendent and school board in behalf of the highest welfare of the schools. All are working along approved lines and are getting good results.

In conclusion, I wish to express my thanks to the School Board, teachers and citizens for their hearty co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

FRÉDERICK T. JOHNSON,

Superintendent of Schools.

Marlboro, N. H., Feb. 15, 1924.

1922—1923

HONOR ROLL

Pupils Neither Absent Nor Tardy

First Term

Clifford Bunker	*Dorothy Smith
Lillian Howard	Sheridan Spaulding
Phyllis Howard	*Austin Smith
*Shirley Smith	*Anna Thayer
*Walter Smith	Arleen Whipple
*Harrison Smith	Rena Whipple

Second Term

Austin Smith	Shirley Smith
Dorothy Smith	Anna Thayer
Harrison Smith	Lois Wright
Walter Smith	

Third Term

Rachel Adams	Austin Smith
Ray Beckwith	Dorothy Smith
Vera Beckwith	Harrison Smith
Donald Ballou	Walter Smith
Howard Blodgett	Shirley Smith
Warren Howard	Anna Thayer
Madeline Platzner	Lois Wright
John Platzner	Carl Wright

*Perfect attendance for year.

STATISTICAL TABLE
FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1923.

FINANCIAL REPORT

For School Year Ending June 30, 1923

RECEIPTS

From the state, equalization, state aid,	\$1,947 52
From selectmen, raised by taxation :	
For the support of elementary schools,	
\$5 tax,	\$1,740 71
For repairs and remodeling West school,	300 00
For high school tuition,	440 00
For district officers and superintendent's excess salary,	165 00
For expenses of administration,	25 00
For per capita tax,	512 00
Total amount from taxation,	2,882 71
From sources other than taxation :	
Dog licenses,	\$97 30
Income from local trust funds,	26 08
Sale of high school books,	29 42
Total amount from other sources,	152 80
Total receipts from all sources,	\$4,983 03
Total cash on hand July 1, 1922,	181 30
Grand total,	\$5,164 33

EXPENDITURES

Administration :

Salaries of district officers,	\$73 00
Superintendent's excess salary,	107 14
Truant officers and school census,	23 13
Expenses of administration,	12 92

Instruction :

Teachers' salaries,	2,325 98
Text-books,	109 42
Scholars' supplies,	78 19
Other expenses of instruction,	30 97

Operation and Maintenance of Plant :

Janitor service,	208 00
Fuel,	183 13
Janitor's supplies,	14 90
Repairs and alterations,	364 79

Auxiliary Agencies :

Medical inspection,	35 00
Transportation,	900 10
High school tuition,	440 40
New equipment,	6 50
Per capita tax,	212 00
Insurance,	29 40

Total payments for all purposes,	\$5,154 57
Cash on hand June 30, 1923,	9 76
Grand total,	\$5,164 33

ASSETS

Cash on hand,	\$9 76
Due from Alstead, tuition,	75 00
Total assets,	\$84 76

LIABILITIES

Due Keene, elementary tuition,	\$108 00
Total liabilities,	\$108 00
Total assets,	84 76
Liability,	\$13 24

School Board Estimate for School Year 1924-25

For statutory requirements:

High school tuition (9 pupils estimated),	\$675 00
Per capita tax,	172 00
For excess salary of superintendent, estimated,	110 00

For general purposes:

Support of elementary schools, \$5 tax, estimated,	1,836 29
Salaries of district officers,	75 00
Minor repairs,	75 00
Repairs (if voted)	

HUNTER C. KINGSBURY,
 BERNICE F. WRIGHT,
 EFFIE R. HUBBARD,

School Board

VITAL STATISTICS

To the Selectmen:

In compliance with an act of the legislature, passed June session, 1887, requiring 'clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report,' I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF GILSUM FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1923.

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.		Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Hair	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
		Male.	Female.						
Jan. 18	Doris Marie	F	F	H. C. Plimpton	W	Gilsum	Miner	Chester, Vt.	Londonderry, Vt.
Feb. 5	Margaret Alice	M	F	W. B. Whipple	W	Gilsum	Farmer	..	Marlow
" 9	George Lloyd	M	F	John Nayish	..	..	..	..	Russia
" 21	Kathleen May	M	F	Thomas F. Kelly	..	..	..	..	East Alstead
May 11	Hazel Marion	M	F	Rex W. Green	..	..	..	..	Norwich, Ct.
June 16	Harry George	M	F	Roscoe Sawyer	..	..	..	..	Gilsum
" 17	Lillian Alice	M	F	Albert L. Thayer	..	..	..	..	Henniker
Aug. 13	Penley Byron	M	F	Seldon B. Lund	..	..	..	..	Peterboro
" 23	Dorothy Marie	M	F	Peter J. LaBounty	..	..	..	..	Westmoreland
Sept. 20	Julia Loretta	M	F	Alphonse LaQuine	..	..	..	..	Nelson
Oct. 13	George Edwette	M	F	Edward S. Kingsbury	..	..	..	..	Malone, N. Y.
" 20	Marie Jennette	M	F	Peter J. LaBounty Jr.	..	..	..	..	Three Acres, Qu
Nov. 9	Ruby Elizabeth	M	F	Geo. H. Rockwell	..	..	..	..	Warwick, Ms.
" 17	Eugene Elroy	M	F	Chester Howard	..	..	..	..	Keene
" 30	Francis Herman	M	F	Hazel Atwood	..	..	..	..	Boston, Ms.
				Frances Reinhold	..	..	..	..	Gilsum
				Walter Malony	..	..	..	..	Hillsboro
					..	..	..	..	Pittsfield, Ms.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF GILSUM FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1923.

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Age in years.	Color of Hair.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	* Condition.	Name, residence and official station of person by whom married.
Jan. 2	Keene	Peter LaBounty, Jr.	Gilsum	20	W	Laborer	Keene	Peter J. LaBounty	Nelson	Malone, N. Y.	1st	Rev. P. J. Scott Keene
July 8	Bennington	Ciaris E. Pope	Orange, Ms.	18	"	Teacher	Orange, Ms.	Rosella Lower	Vermont	..	1st	Rev. E. C. Osborne Bennington
		Chester E. Howard	Gilsum	36	"	Weaver	Gilsum	Jesse Pope	..	..	1st	Rev. E. C. Osborne Bennington
		Hazel A. Allen	"	23	"	Housekeeper	Bennington	Eva St. Clair	..	..	1st	Rev. E. C. Osborne Bennington
Aug. 7	Gilsum	Charles J. Fraser	"	24	"	Spinner	Laconia	Henry Howard	Sullivan	..	2d	Rev. A. H. Reed Keene
		Emma Lassmann	"	24	"	Textile op.	Gilsum	Flora Cady	Gilsum	..	1st	Rev. A. H. Reed Keene
July 7	Bellows Falls	Richard R. Pletzner	"	27	"	Miner	Gilsum	John Atwood	Bennington	..	1st	Rev. R. F. Johnnot Bellows Falls, Vt.
		Rosa L. St. George	Saxtons River, Vt.	27	"		St. Gabriel, Q.	Minnie Howard	Heniker	..	3d	Rev. R. F. Johnnot Bellows Falls, Vt.
Sept. 29	Gilsum	Kenneth Y. Wright	Arlington, Ms.	27	"	Engineer	Boston, Ms.	Joseph St. George	Scotland	..	2d	Rev. W. O. Conrad Keene
		Dorothy A. Akerley	Cambridge, Ms.	27	"	Statistician	Cambridge, Ms.	Vilaine	Lynchburg, Va.	..	1st	Rev. W. O. Conrad Keene
Oct. 14	Hillsboro	Fletcher J. Wheat	Gilsum	65	"	Farmer	Elmore, Vt.	Wallace N. Wright	Germany	..	1st	Rev. W. O. Conrad Keene
		Lizzie T. Howard	"	62	"	Housework	Aeworth	Ella Yerxa	Austria	..	1st	Rev. W. O. Conrad Keene
" 13	Marlboro	Ai M. Hart	"	28	"	Trucking	Stoddard	Valentine Ackerly	Gilsum	..	2d	Rev. R. Long Marlboro
		Bertha H. Dunbar	"	35	"	Drawing in.	"	Blanche McConnell	..	..	1st	Rev. R. Long Marlboro
Sept. 2	Hancock	Milan R. Miller	Marlow	25	"	Laborer	Marlow	Albert Reed	Maidstone, Vt.	..	2d	Rev. E. W. Eldridge Hancock
		Lila V. Bates	Gilsum	32	"	At home	Sullivan	Ella Lervey	Gilsum	..	1st	Rev. E. W. Eldridge Hancock
								Mary E. Gilway	Washington	..	1st	Rev. E. W. Eldridge Hancock
								Perley Miller	..	..	..	..
								May Heath	..	..	..	..
								Chas. A. Bates	..	..	..	..
								Lora Davis	..	..	..	..

*Whether single or widowed. What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF GILSUM FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1923.

Date of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.	Sex & Condition.						Place of Birth.	Name of Father.	Name of Mother.	
			Years	Months	Days	Male.	Female.	Color.	*M	M		
Jan. 9	Wesley O. Blake	76	10	25	So. Alstead	M	M	Farmer	W	M	Keene	Geo. W. Blake
Feb. 20	Wil'm E. Renshaw	71	7	2	Cave Springs, Mo.	M	M	Clergyman	W	M	Langdon	Alpheus Chapin
Mar. 5	Jennie M. Beckwith	71	8	18	Alstead	F	..	..	W	W	Nashua	Geo. Chamberlin
.. 13	Geo. Chamberlain	21	2	1	Westminster, Vt.	M	..	Finisher	..	S	[Vt.] Westminster,	Ida M. Kenney
Apr. 8	William H. Chapin	81	1	7	..	M	..	Farmer	..	M	Nashua	May Griggs
Mar. 10	Joseph Lassmann	59	14	..	..	M	..	..	..	M	[Vt.] Holley, Vt.	Henry Chapin
June 6	John F. Pratt	29	8	24	Gilsum	M	..	Mechanic	..	M	Gilsum	Louise M. Miller
.. 11	Hazel M. Green	1	1	..	..	F	..	..	..	S	Gilsum	Grace M. Howard
.. 25	Henry L. Phillips	74	3	3	Vienna, Ohio	M	..	Carpenter	..	..	Pennsylvania	Susan Readsum ^r
July 5	Marie Lassmann	60	4	26	..	F	..	..	..	W	..	..
.. 24	William J. Hall	54	3	15	..	M	..	..	..	..	Scotland	William Hall
.. 30	Harry G. Sawyer	1	14	..	Gilsum	M	..	..	..	..	Henniker	Roscoe Sawyer
Aug. 3	Elizabeth McCoy	86	3	17	Gilsum	F	..	..	..	..	[So.] Windsor, Ct.	Elsie Wyman
.. 31	Arthur A. Blodgett	67	3	17	So. Windsor, Ct.	M	..	..	..	..	Gilsum	Edward Blodgett
Sept. 24	Ellen M. Brown	86	6	2	..	F	..	..	..	S	..	Abigail Patton
Oct. 7	Ernest A. Howard	19	7	3	Aeworth	M	..	..	..	M	..	..
.. 24	Edward R. Baine	74	5	2	Galesburg, Ill.	M	..	..	..	..	Alstead	..

*Single, Married or Widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing returns are correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

O. H. HUBBARD, Town Clerk.
BERTHA M. WRIGHT, Assistant Town Clerk

INVENTORY

OF

Ratable Property and Taxes of the town of

GILSUM, N. H.

1924

PUBLISHED MARCH 1, 1925

KEENE, N. H.

SENTINEL PRINTING COMPANY, PRINTERS
1925

RESIDENT INVOICE AND TAXES.	1924	REAL ESTATE.
		ACRES.
PROPERTY		DESCRIPTION.

RESIDENT INVOICE AND TAXES. 1924.	REAL ESTATE. Description.		Value. Acres. Pct.	Horses. Value. Cows. Value. Sheep. Value. Hens. Value. Moneys Value. Vehicles Value. Net. Str Value. Cattle. Value. Hens. Value. Moneys Value. Total Tax. Amount
	Acres. Pct.	Description.		
Alexander, Stella.....	3	Homestead.....	250	250.5 00 8 00
Alexander, George.....	1	.....	1 40	40.5 00 1 28
Alexander, Leon.....	1	30 1/2 Homestead & farm.....	1 50	50.3 00 1 60
Adams, W. H.....	1	20 1/2 Farm land & building.....	2400 1 100 2 125	2625.0 00 84 00
Adams, Albert F.....	1	1/4 Homestead.....	700 1 50 2 108	858.5 00 27 45
Adams, Annie L.....	1	136 Nims, Tannery & Rauson lots.....	1700	1700.5 00 54 40
Adams, Ballou.....	1	113 Wilson, Smith & Dorr lots.....	1375	1375.....
Adams, Ballou.....	1	98 Miller & Lowell lots.....	800	800.....
Ballou, B. F.....	1	Store building.....	950	3125.....
Britton, Emma.....	1	12 Billot, exempt.....	1800	*3800.5 00 100 00
Bates, Charles.....	1	107 Homestead & old homestead.....	75	75.....
Bates, Daniel W.....	1	81 Homestead, Wright & Mark lots	2250 2 175 2 85	2510.5 00 80 32
Baker, Andy J.....	1	40 Pearson lot.....	2000 1 150 3 100	2250.....
Bates, W. H. Est.....	1	1/2 Homestead, exempt.....	300 2 150 5 225	675.5 00 72 00
Banks, Elmer C.....	1	80 Homestead farm.....	1500 1 60 4 100	100.....
Banks, Elmer D.....	1	72 Homestead farm.....	1500 2 75	1745.5 00 55 84
Bates, Elmer.....	1	1/8 Homestead.....	1 50	1575.....
Barrett, Eliza.....	1	3 Homestead.....	500	50 5 00 50 40
Bain, Frank.....	1	1/8 Homestead, exempt.....	200 2 250	500.....
Button, Ruie.....	1	29 Homestead farm & Blake lot.....	300	450 5 00 14 40
Beckwith, Archie.....	1	4 Blake lot.....	900 1 40	300.....
Beckwith, Ida.....	1	176 Wilder f'm, May, Pick'r'g & Bates	100 1 100	940 5 00 30 08
Blake, Charles H.....	1	79 Mack farm & Nichols pasture...	600	200 5 00 6 40
Blake, Charles H.....	1	133 Conv'lot, Smith, Gu'l'w & Spr'e	275	3327.5 00.....
Bates, Amanda.....	1	12 Homestead & Silas Bliss place..	1050 1 83	475.....
Bain, Lillian.....	1	1/2 Homestead.....	550	8113.5 00 140 86
Bliss, John.....	1	40 Bliss farm & Nash lot.....	600	550 5 00 4 26
Bliss, John.....	1	31 Homestead & Pickering farm...	700	600.....
Blodgett, Charles.....	1	70 Homestead & part of Kief farm...	900 2 113 1 40	1053.5 00 41 60

*Stock in trade, \$2000. †2 Oxen, \$85. ‡Wood & lumber, \$200. §Exempt on \$1000.

RESIDENT INVOICE AND TAXES.	1924.	REAL ESTATE.		DESCRIPTION.	Acres.	POLL	TAXES.	AMOUNT TAX.	TOTAL TAX.
		Value.	Horses.						
Blodgett, Eliza,	50	Gibson place.....	600					600	19 20
Britton, Herman.....	3/4	Homestead.....	350					350	11 20
Blodgett, Ed.....	1		3 250	2	75			3255	10 40
Bunker, Arthur.....	1	8 Land	300	1	80			4655	14 88
Chamberlain, Ida.....	1	3 Homestead.....	550					5505	17 60
Carpenter, Albert Est.	1	100 Homestead farm.....	1500					1500	48 00
Carpenter, Alberta.....	1	4 Dustin lot.....	75					755	2 40
Chapin, May.....	50	Homestead farm, exempt \$1000	1100		2	70		1170	5 44
Chickering & Lund.....	1		2 170	9	623			793	25 37
Clark, Herman.....	1	1/4 Homestead.....	600	1	75			6755	21 60
Chickering, S. J.....	100	Kingsbury farm.....	1800					1800	
Chickering, S. J.....	125	Part of Wright farm.....	400					400	70 40
Collins, Mary.....	1	2 Homestead.....	1500					15005	48 00
Carey, Archie.....	1		8690					6905	22 08
Corey, Jane.....	1	1 Homestead.....	500					5005	16 00
Corey, Woodbury.....			1	40	1	40		80	2 56
Crain, Arabella.....	1*	Farm & Leroyd place.....	2300	1	78			23785	76 09
Cross, Orrin O.....	69	Homestead & Hammond.....	1100	1	40	2	55	1225	39 20
Cambell & Brady.....	70	Homestead farm.....	2000	1	50	1	40	2090	66 88
Carey, Clifton.....	1				1	50		505	1 60
Downing, George.....	1	13 Homestead & Leek.....	1850	1	50			1905	60 80
Downing, Emma I.....	1				1	50		505	1 60
Davis, Rosalie.....	1/2	Homestead.....	1600					1600	51 20
Davis, Alice.....	3	Homestead.....	400					400	12 80
Ellis, Maland.....	1	3 Homestead & Bigham lot.....	650					6505	20 80
Eyers, Woollen Co.....	6	Houses woolen mill property.....	5500					144000	1440 00
Eyers, Woollen Co.....		Wheeler water power.....						30500	96
Fish, Oris.....	1							10000	32 00
French, Warren.....	1/4	Newman house.....	1000	1	30			900	
Fawner, James H.....	5	Homestead, exempt.....	900						
Gleason, Manretta.....	3	Homestead.....	1200					1200	38 40

*140 1/2 acres. †Stock in trade, \$22,500; \$17,000.

RESIDENT INVOICE AND TAXES.		REAL ESTATE. DESCRIPTION.		Acres. Poles.		Value. Horses.		Value. Cows.		Value. Sheep.		Value. Vegetables.		Value. Monetary.		Total Value.		Total Taxes.		Total Amount.	
1944.																					
Guillow, Ben E.....	1	33 Homestead.....		1800	2 250	1	55									2105	5 00	67	36		
Guillow, John.....	1	3 Home place.....		300	1 50											350	5 00	11	20		
Hubbard, Della M.....	1	1/4 Homestead.....		700												700	5 00	22	40		
Hart, Bertha.....	1	1/8 Homestead, exempt.....		700												700	5 00				
Hayward, Helen J.....	1	1/8 Homestead.....		1400												1400	5 00	44	80		
Heath, Angie.....	1	2 Homestead.....		300												300	5 00	9	60		
Howard, Ephriam Est.....	1	143 Homestead.....		1800	1 25	3	80									1905	5 00	60	96		
Howard, Flora.....	1	39 Homestead & Chase lot.....		475												475	5 00	15	20		
Howard, Henry W.....	1	2 Cook place, exempt.....		200												148	5 00	4	73		
Howard, Chester.....	1	1/2 Homestead.....		100												100					
Howard, Daniel Est.....	1	1/2 Homestead.....		400												400	5 00	12	80		
Howard, Charlie.....	1	1/2 Homestead.....		1975	2 125	2	100									266	5 00	8	51		
Howard, Artinus.....	1	1/2 Homestead & Smith farm.....		1150												2200	5 00				
Howard, George H.....	1	112 Homestead & Smith farm.....		35												1150		107	20		
Howard, George H.....	1	82 Corey lot & Lepage farm.....		3300												35	5 00	1	12		
Howard, George B.....	1	Shanty.....		2500												3300	5 00	105	60		
Hanson, Minnie L.....	1	1/2 Homestead & A Miller lot.....		25												2500	5 00	80	00		
Hubbard, Effie.....	1	Portable house, exempt.....		1	35											60					
Hart, Al.....					1	100										100					
Humphery, Arthur.....					1	100										2050	5 00	65	60		
Isham, May E.....	1	81 Homestead, Towns & Smith lots.....		2050												1700		54	40		
Isham, Winniford.....					13 Homestead & Day store building.....											1700		160	00		
Kingsbury, Hunter C.....					196 Homestead & May farm.....											1100		35	20		
Kingsbury, Samuel.....					1/2 Homestead.....											3000		96	00		
Knights, Sarah.....					135 Homestead farm.....											100		3	20		
Kan, Ernest.....					1/2 Homestead.....											1800		57	60		
Laing, Mary.....					1/2 Homestead.....											750	5 00	24	00		
Lassman, Gustave.....	1	7 Homestead.....		700												1000		142	5 00	45	44
LaBounty, Peter J.....	1	185 Homestead farm.....		1000	3 300	2	120									3500	5 00	3915	5 00	125	28
Lynch, John.....	1	90 Homestead farm.....		3500	3 200	4	140	3	75							1600		598	5 00	19	14
Lash, Recilla B.....	1	41 Homestead.....		500	1	63	1	35								1900		1900		28	80
Martin, C. B.....					1/8 Homestead, exempt on \$1000.....											2100		2140	5 00	68	48
Maloney, Walter.....					1900											3000		3000		96	00
Minor, Frances Est.....					2100											3000		700		22	40
Minell, Irena.....					3000											3000		545	5 00	17	44
Mull, Jessie.....					500											500		500		45	50
Miller, May.....					1	45										1	45	1	45		

RESIDENT INVOICE AND TAXES 1924.		REAL ESTATE. DESCRIPTION.		Total Amount Taxes	
Acres. Poles.	Acre-s. Poles.	Value. Cows.	Value. Horses.	Total Value. Vehicles.	Total Value. Buildings.
Nash, Roy.....	1	1 Homestead.....	700	700	500
Newell, George.....	1	1/4 Homestead.....	700	700	500
Nichols, Bertha.....	1	74 Homestead farm.....	1000	1 40	2 72
Plimpton, Henry.....	1	.....	1	50	2 95
Pomlow, Effie J.....	1	96 1/2 Homestead & Chase lot.....	1100	1	50
Plimpton, Aurelia.....	1	1/2 Homestead.....	400	1	50
Patnode, W. E.....	1	62 Homestead.....	2000	3 290	6 250
Price, William.....	1	1/4 Wellman house.....	200	1	50
Pluff, John E.....	1	Tract of land.....	100	1	50
Quimby, Elmer W.....	1	.....	1	75	1
Quimby, Jennie Est....	1	1/2 Homestead.....	800	1	50
Koundy, Frank W. Est....	1	1/4 Homestead, exempt.....	500	1	50
Royce, Bertha.....	1	Homestead.....	700	1 40	1 25
Smith, Frank B.....	1	30 1/4 Homes'd, Harder & Wellm'n lots	2250	3 150	1 40
Smith, Austin G.....	1	170 Homestead & Webster place.....	2200	1 60	2 85
Smith, John A.....	1	7 Homestead.....	1800	1	85
Starkey, Miland.....	1	1/4 Homestead.....	600	1	25
Snow, L. A.....	1	100 Homestead.....	2100	1 25	1 50
Sawyer, R. W.....	1	17 Taylor farm.....	500	1	25
Seaver, Eva.....	1	Homestead.....	250	1	50
Sargent, Arthur.....	1	.....	1	50	1
Smith, Walter E.....	1	8 Bliss place.....	600	1	50
Thayer, Albert L.....	1	205 Homestead, Ban's & Lepage lots	2500	2 250	2 80
Tinker, Joseph.....	1	1/8 Homestead & 3 shanties.....	650	8 565	2 75
Temple, Sidney R.....	1	65 Homestead farm.....	600	2	87
Terrell & Magraffin.....	1	1/4 Hotel.....	2600	1	25
Verdon, Henry.....	1	1/4 Beehive.....	800	1	40
White, Jehiel.....	1	56 Homestead & homestead farm.....	2900	1 90	1 40
White, Bert H.....	1	4 Part of White farm.....	100	1	50
Whipple, Bradford....	1	1 Homestead.....	1300	1	50
		1 1/2 Homestead & Buckminster lot	650	1	50

*Machinery, \$200. [†]2 Oxen, \$85.

INVOICE AND TAXES.		REAL ESTATE.		1924.	
RESIDENT	ACRES.	POWERS.	ACRES.	DESCRIPTION.	
Whipple, Minnie.....	1	1 1/2	Howard place.....		
Wilder, Fred A.....	1	1 1/2	Home farm & Isham farm.....		
Wilson, W. E.....	1 282				
Wright, Dennis F.....	1				
Wright, Leon A.....	1				
Wright, Phin M.....	1		Blacksmith shop.....		
Wright, Bertha.....	1	1/8	Homestead.....		
Wheat, Fletcher J.....	1	30	Homestead.....		
Wilder, Effie J.....	1	15	Homestead & Mack farm.....		
Williams, Harry G.....	1/4		Homestead.....		
Willett, Joseph.....	1	50	Homestead.....		
Wood, Kathrine.....	1/8		Homestead.....		

*Stock in trade, \$1000. †Stock in trade, \$100.

NON-RESIDENT INVOICE AND TAXES.	ACRES.	REAL ESTATE DESCRIPTION									
		Value.	Hours.	Cows.	Value.	Stock.	Trade.	Total.	Amount due.	Total.	Taxes.
Allen, B. F. Estate.....	42	Gunn lot.....	1200	...	1200	...	1200	...	1200	38	40
Badger, Mamie.....	12	Homestead	1400	...	1400	...	1400	...	1400	44	80
Baldwin E. L.	35	Lucious Davis place.....	800	...	800	...	800	...	800	25	60
Barrett, Ernest.....	7	Sprout land.....	50	...	50	...	50	...	*400	12	80
Barrett, Marshall Estate	75	Pasture & wood land.....	600	...	600	...	600	...	600	19	20
Beaver Mills.....	35	Part of Densmore lot.....	500	...	500	...	500	...	500	16	00
Bridge, Ora D.....	95	Spaulding lot.....	1000	...	1000	...	1000	...	1000	32	00
Burdett Chair Co.....	116	Smith & Sheldon lot.....	1100	...	1100	...	1100	...	1100	35	20
Chapin, Walter.....	15 $\frac{1}{2}$	Kenyon Everdon Mica lot.....	250	...	250	...	250	...	250	8	00
Carey Chair Co.....	740	Bill farm, Thayer & Loveland & Loveland lots.....	6750	...	6750	...	6750	...	6750	...	...
Colony Horatio Estate.....	123	Fish farm, Hodgen's & Bridge lots.....	800	...	800	...	800	...	800	241	60
Cota, Peter.....	6	Land on Sullivan road.....	50	...	50	...	50	...	50	1	60
Dillant, Edward.....	120	Wellman & Loisell farms.....	2400	...	2400	...	2400	...	*2130	144	96
Ellis, Frank E.....	91 $\frac{1}{4}$	Carter farm & part of Densmore.....	2100	...	2100	...	2100	...	2100	20	80
Ellis, Ellen A.....	40	Pasture place, Blood, Tyler & Burdett lots.....	650	...	650	...	650	...	650	19	20
Eureka Flint & Spar Co.....	93	Bingham farm.....	600	...	600	...	600	...	600	32	20
Fletcher, Edward H.....	168	Buildings.....	1100	...	1100	...	1100	...	1100	650	52
Faulkn'r & Colony Mfg. Co	100	Carpenter lot.....	100	...	100	...	100	...	100	1000	99
French, Warren.....	168	Stone Bridge water power, Bliss Mill water power.....	1000	...	1000	...	1000	...	1000	32	00
Faulkn'r & Colony Mfg. Co	20	Surry road water power.....	3000	...	3000	...	3000	...	3000	96	00
Feich, Fannie V.....	25	Guillow & Newman & land on Alstead line.....	450	...	450	...	450	...	450	14	40
Faulkner, Philip H.....	20	Dan Bates lot.....	200	...	200	...	200	...	200	6	40
French, Warren.....	56	Lepage pasture & part of Carroll farm.....	450	...	450	...	450	...	450	46	40
French, Warren.....	50	Bliss & Grimes.....	1000	...	1000	...	1000	...	1000	19	20
Guillow, L. R. Estate.....	1/4	Homestead	600	...	600	...	600	...	600	32	20
Horton, Katherine.....	19	Homestead.....	1100	...	1100	...	1100	...	1100	\$5050	161
Hopkins, Frank C.....	1	Land on Alstead line, Camps & standing timber	950	...	950	...	950	...	950	2850	91
Hussey, Edith.....	83	Densmore farm.....	2850	...	2850	...	2850	...	2850	400	12
Howard, Horace.....	50	Pasture & wood land.....	400	...	400	...	400	...	400	76	80
Jones, W. B.....	210	Howard & Allen Hayward lot.....	2400	...	2400	...	2400	...	2400	76	80

*Wood, 350. † Neat stock, \$30. ‡ Machinery, \$906. § Portable mills, \$800; lumber, \$3300.

RESIDENT INVOICE AND TAXES.	1924.	REAL ESTATE.		Value.	Horses.	Acres.	P. ^o & S. ^s .	Description.	Value.
		Value.	Hours.						
Jones, Ada M.	25 1/2 Homestead, Guillow & Newman lot.	1650	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1650	.....
Jones, Ada M.	101 Near stone bridge, Keef & Pickering lot.	2100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2100	120 00
Guillow, Luther.	66 Homestead & Comstock lot.	1000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1000	32 00
Golden Keene Co. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*300	9 60
Gray, J. B.	Standing timber on Blake farm.	3000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3000	9 60
Jarvis, Alfred.	50 Lowell White farm.	1200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1200	38 40
Keen Woodentware Co.	10 Converse pine lot.	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	1 60
Keene Felspar Co.	3 Lowell White place.	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*1500	48 00
Keyes, Fred.	1 Wheeler place.	800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	800	25 60
Leach, George H.	63 Comstock & Fox lots.	1200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1200	38 40
Lewis, C. C.	15 Land on Marlboro line.	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	1 60
Loveland, Elizabeth.	114 Bates lot, land & building.	7000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7000	224 00
Little, G. Fred.	37 Charles Wilder farm.	1500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1500	48 00
Lovinskie, William.	20 Miller farm.	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	16 00
Lombard, Guy.	1 Demerse place.	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	1 60
McCormell, May V.	26 Provonsie homestead.	800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	800	25 60
Moore, Grace A.	1/2 Summer house.	450	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	450	14 40
Madden, Joseph Estate.	15 Converse lot.	250	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	8 00
Madden, Charlie.	25 Crain farm.	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	9 60
Newman, George E.	157 Barden lot & Carter pasture.	850	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	850	27 20
Nash, Quincy B.	10 1/2 Old homestead.	75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	75	2 40
New England Box Co.	40 May pine lot.	3000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*11000	352 00
Newell, Edward H.	53 Lassman place & Howard place.	1400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1400	44 80
O'Neil, Dan.	125 Gunn farm.	3500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3500	112 00
Pearson, William.	33 On Alstead line, Loisell pasture.	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	428 00
Perry, John L.	30 Dusett lot.	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	6 40
Porter, Myron H.	90 Heaton lot.	600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	600	19 20
Piper, Louis.	125 Buckminster lot.	1100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1100	35 20
Platzna, John.	1 Homestead.	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	16 00
Rondo, Edward. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	6 40
Reed, Harry. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1200	38 40
Reed, H. J.	25 Fish farm.	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	16 00
Robertson, Byron Estate.	63 Nash place.	1000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1000	32 00
Russell, Alger.	65 Marsfield farm.	1000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1000	32 00
Rockwell, W. H.	4 Beckwith place.	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	6 40
Smith, Norman.	3 1/2 Water power & box shops.	2500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2500	80 00

*Machinery, \$300. †Machinery, \$1000. ‡Machinery, \$8000. §Lumber, \$8000. ||Wood and lumber, \$13,375.

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	Acres.	Description.	
Shepherdson, Henry.....	137	Nash pasture & Kenyon, Bates & Blake lots.....	1250 ..
Shepherdson, Henry.....	53	Nims pasture & Jim & Hill lots.....	900 ..
Shepherdson, Henry.....	90	Loveland & Barrett & Lansing Wilder lots.....	3200 ..
Shepherdson, Henry.....	50	Britton lot & standing timber on Temple.....	900 ..
Sinclare, Fred.....	50	Carpenter farm.....	500 ..
Safford, Perley.....	105	Lowell White place & Heath farm.....	1200 ..
Townsand, Anna L.....	1½	Homestead.....	900 ..
Woods, Frank.....	24	Metcalf lot.....	400 ..
Wright, Jerome E.....	17	Wood lot.....	1000 ..
Wilbur Brothers.....	75	Wright farm.....	1000 ..
Wilcox, Allen.....	36	Bates place.....	300 ..
Wilder, Charles G. Estate	120	Corey & Mansfield lots.....	1000 ..
Wilder, Ida M.....	270	Ange & Aldrich lots.....	3300 ..
Wilder, Lansing W.....	130	March lot.....	1000 ..
Wright, Mary A.....	30	Converse mowing.....	150 ..
Whipple, George, exempt..	25	Miller pasture.....	700 ..
Wyman, B. F.....	1	Portable mill.....	..
Cheshire Oil Co.....	.....	.....	.....
Standard Oil Co.....	.....	.....	.....
Dorman Oil Co.....	.....	.....	.....

*Wood, \$25. †Wood, \$475. ‡Gasoline pumps & tanks, \$115. §Gasoline pumps & tanks, \$125. ||Gasoline pumps & tanks, \$300.

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